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THE AUSTRALIAN WOMAN'S MIRROR

DESIGNED for the MIRROR by Mrs. D. A. Boyd, of Boweya (Vic.), this fan crochet bed-jacket calls for 50z. of 2-ply wool, a medium-size crochet hook, one reel of Ajax silk for edging, and 14yd. of ribbon.

Measurements: Bust, 34in.-36in.; length from top of shoulder, 20in.; length from top of sleeves, 6½in.

Abbreviations: Ch, chain; tr, treble; rep, repeat; in, inch; con, continue; pat, pattern.

THE RIGHT FRONT.—Beginning at the shoulder, make loosely 36 ch, then, taking 3 ch for 1st tr, work over ch in groups of

Work in pat, shaping armhole in same way as for front, then con in pat until back is same length as front.

THE SLEEVES.—With right side of work facing, join in wool at armhole edge 2½in. from shoulder seam, then 3 ch for 1st tr, 1 tr

turn and work one row of pat as in jacket.

Now join silk to the left front at the neck edge and, beginning with 3 ch, tr into first row, then 3 ch, 2 tr into next row, 1 double crochet into the next row.

Rep down the front to lower edge, working round lower edge the same as for sleeve, then up the right front like the other front. End off. Thread the ribbon through the row of trebles at neck edge.

THE AUSTRALIAN WOMAN'S MIRROR

NEEDLECRAFT
SERVICE

FAN CROCHET BEDJACKET

2 tr into 2 ch, miss 2 ch, 3 tr into next, 2 ch, 3 tr into next ch till four groups have been completed, ending with 2 tr into last 2 ch.

2nd Row: (Always take up two threads of previous row when doing a tr on top of a tr.) Two tr on 2 tr, 3 tr, 2 ch, 3 tr into 2 ch loop of previous row. Rep to end of row, ending 2 tr on 2 tr.

Rep the 2nd row till work measures 2½in. Now make 24 ch, turn and, taking 3 ch for 1st tr, work five more tr (this will be the front edge), then (3 tr, 2 ch, 3 tr, 2 tr) twice, 3 tr, 2 ch, 3 tr, then con pat to end of row.

Con in pat, keeping the 6 tr at front edge till work measures 9in. at armhole edge.

Next Row: At armhole edge do 6 ch, turn, 3 ch for 1st tr, 2 tr, 2 ch, 3 tr over ch, then con in pat to end of row.

Next Row: Work to armhole edge, then 4 ch, turn, 3 ch for 1st tr, 1 tr into ch, and con in pat to end of row.

Con in pat until the work measures 20in. from the shoulder. End off.

Work the other front to correspond.

THE BACK.—Join on wool at armhole edge of the right front shoulder and work across in pat, then do 34 ch and con in pat over the left front shoulder.

Next Row: Pat across the left shoulder, then work five groups of 3 tr, 2 ch, 3 tr, 2 tr over the 34 ch, and pat to end of row.

into end of row, 3 tr, 2 ch, 3 tr into next row, (1 tr into end of next row) twice.

Con in this way until 5 groups have been worked, then do 2 tr, turn, and work back to the end of row, then work a group of 3 tr, 2 ch, 3 tr into the next row of the armhole edge, (1 tr into next row) twice.

Con in this way, increasing the length of each row by one group of 3 tr, 2 ch, 3 tr and 2 tr till all the armhole has been worked in. End off.

Work the other sleeve in the same way.

THE EDGING.—Using the silk thread, work an edging on the sleeves as follows: One tr into each tr, 3 tr into the space between the tr groups all round.

THE NECK EDGE.—Join the wool at the front edge of neck (with wrong side facing you) and work a row of tr right round, then



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